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1. A Communist ring of Latin American students, operating underground and collecting funds to "finance guerilla groups all over the world to fight North America", has been discovered in La Plata, capital of the Province of Buenos Aires.
2. The ring poses as a "reform" group, describing itself as a democratic organization working against the Nationalists and the present Argentine government. The leader of this ring, Elmiro Correa, an Argentine national, directs his unit in propaganda methods and in the recruiting of new members among Latin American students.
3. Meetings of the group thus far have taken place in the home of a Peruvian student, Jorge Fernandez. The youth is in touch with Communist elements in Peru. The source of his plentiful amount of funds appears, however, to be Argentine Communist centers, since he receives no money from Peru and is not working in Argentina.

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